

## Politics, Public Policy & Public Health

This program, presented at the 135<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association, is available to public health professionals across the country.

# International Public Health Education: The Experience From MPH Programs in Developing Settings Worldwide Satellite Conference and Webcast

Wednesday, January 16, 2008 • 1:00-2:30 p.m. (Central Time)

2:00-3:30 p.m. (Eastern) • 12:00-1:30 p.m. (Mountain) • 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (Pacific)



## Bridging the Gap in Public Health Capacity in Africa: Experiences from Public Health Schools Without Walls (PHSWOW) in Uganda

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The program has produced over 150 public health leaders at the MPH level now serving at district and national program levels, with some in international organizations. Graduates of the program have provided much needed public health leaders to manage health care delivery under Uganda's decentralization policy. Continuing shortages are being addressed and MUIPH started a distance education based MPH in 2004 to scale up the program and reduce time students spend away from work.

### Future Satellite Conferences and Webcasts from the 135<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the American Public Health Association

How Can Use of the Performance Standards Drive National, State and Local Public Health?  
Wednesday, January 23, 2008

Political Leadership, Health Policies and Health Disparities in Developed and Developing Nations  
Wednesday, January 30, 2008

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## An Innovative MPH Program in Southern India: Lessons, Challenges and Next Steps

Gregory Pappas, MD, PhD Professor and Chairman  
Department of Community Health Sciences Aga Khan University

The Aga Khan University in Pakistan was founded in 1983 and its Department of Community Health Sciences is the premier public health education agency in the country. Dr. Pappas introduces the department and describes the population health challenges in Pakistan, the current status of medicine and public health and the steps that are being taken to strengthen the field.

## Public Health Education at an Innovative SPH in Bangladesh: Updates, Achievements and Challenges

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BRAC, one of the most influential NGOs worldwide, based in Bangladesh, has implemented a new paradigm in public health education in the developing setting. The newly established James P. Grant School of Public Health (part of BRAC University) benefits from the unique opportunities that Bangladesh and BRAC offer in the area of public health, community development, and a variety of global health experiences.

### Conference Details:

Contact Hours: None for this program.

Registration: [www.adph.org/alphtn](http://www.adph.org/alphtn)

Cost: There is no cost to view.

Satellite Technical Information: This program will be a live satellite broadcast on both Ku & C bands.

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On Demand Webcast: This program will be available as an On Demand Webcast beginning January 17, 2008.

Conference Materials: Conference materials will be available approximately one week before the program. You will be notified by email when the materials have been posted to the ALPHTN website.

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